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For: RECOMBINANT HUMAN  
METAPNUEMOVIRUS AND ITS USE

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 17, 2008 and to the Office Action dated April 23, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.